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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. May 9, FORIEN. British steamer, 509, J. Lewis Tamsai, 4th May, Amoy 6th, and Swatow 8th, General, - Douglas Laprair & Co. May 9, PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British str. 1,012, A. Benson, Bangkok 3rd May, Rice. -YUEN FAT HONG.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 9TH MAY.

Kumamoto Maru, Jsp. str., for Kutchinotzu, Diamante, British str., for Amoy. Haiphong, British str., for Takao. Yangtsze, German str., for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES. May 9, AJAX, British str., for Singapore. May 9. MARIE, German str., for Heiphong. May 9, ANTON, German str., for Pakhoi. May 9, IKAOUADDY, French str., for Europe.

May 9, Activa, German str., for Cebu. May 9, DIAMANTE, British str., for Manila. May 9, HAIPHONG, British str., for Takao. May 9, HAITAN, British str., for Coast Ports. May 9, Namonow, British str., for Amoy. May 9, SARPEDON, British str., for Shanghai. May 9. SOOCHOW, British str., for Holhow. May 9, Fushum, Chinese str., for Whampos.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Fokien, str., from Tamsui, &c .- 51 Chinese Per Phra Chula Chom Klac, str., from Bangtok.—Lient. and Mrs. Fischer, Mr. Dribber, and

97 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Iraouaddy, str., from Hongkong.-For Marseilles .- M. Rheinart (Resident General in Annam and Tonquin) and Mrs. Rheinart. M. Recuel de Rangot (Intendant Militaire: M. Lidin (Commissary General), Capt. Pour, Capt Mercer, Mesers. Honry Norman, Q. Hogg. J Maurice, Nipaud, Nipaud, Boudet, Jubiot Caillot, Billoux, Blomne, P. Tanner, E. Farago, Po Sing Foung, Lim Soo Sin, and Wai Ning. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chang Eng and 2 children. From Shaughai.-For Saigon.-Mr. and Mrs. Martin, For Marseilles.—Mr. and Mrs. Thevenet ud daughter, Mr. A. Thevenet, Mrs. Dansgue, ir. and Mrs. Ristelhueber, 3 children, nurse and mal, Mr. and Mrs. Brown and servant, Messra. Le O. Martin, Rev. Grane. Findlay McFadyon, nd Mencarini, From Yokohama - For Saigon. -Mr. Cottez. For Marseilles.-Mr. and Miss Boissonade de Fontarabia and 2 servants, Mesers. Walker, Wollheim, Oka Chenlei, Matsumoto, shi Kawa, Teravo, Ito, Okamoto, and R. Tsonda-Koji. From Kobe. - For Marseilles. - Messre Igata Shingiro, Ogata Keijiro, Horinch Kinkithi, and Ogata Mosakio.

REPORTS. The British steamer Phra Chula Choin Klao, rem Bangkok 3rd May, reports had S.E. wind nd fine weather in the Gulf; thence to port me N.E. winds.

The British steamer Fokien, from Tamani 4th day, Amoy 6th, and Swatow 8th, reports experiopoed light variable winds and hazy atmoshere from Tameni to Swatow: thence to port ght N.F. breeze and fine clear weather. In Kmoy H.B.M.S. Leander and Rattler, steamers Jafiro, Tamsui, and Namkiang. In Swatow teamers Thales, Toisang, and Chi-yeen.

SHANGHAL SHIPPING. pril— ABRIVALS.
25, Fuh Wo, British str., from Hankow.

25, Fn-yew, Chinese str., from Taiwanfoo. 25, Baikai, Kossian str., from y ladivostock 26. Crusader, British str., from Nagasaki. 27. Natal. French str. from Hongkone 27, Klang-foo, Chinese str., from Hankow. 27. Sin Nanzing, Brit. str., from Foochow. 27. Kiang teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 27. Poochi, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 27. Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin. 27, Johannes Brun, Nor. str., from Nagasaki. 27, Moyune, British str., from Nagasaki. 28. Tamsui, British str., from Swatow. 28. Yangiaze, German str., from Hongkong. 28, Smith, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 28, Choy Sang, British str., from Swatow. 28, Hae-an, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 28, Ajax, Bitish str., from Liverpool 28, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. 28. Sual, British str., from Hankow. 28, Pac Hua, British str., from Hankow, 28, Wenchow, British str., from Tientsin. 28, Wismar, German str., from Nagasaki. 28, Brankelow, British str., from Batoum, 29, Hangebow, British str., from Swatow. 29, Bideyoshi-mara, Jap. str., from K'notsu. 29, Tokio-maru, Jap. str., from Yokohama. 29, Kiang-tung, Chinese str., from Hankow. 29, Kowshing, British str., from Tientein. 30, Kung Wo. British str., from Hankow.

Kiang-yu, Chinese str., from Hankow. Yehsin, Chinese str., from Tientsin. Pechili, British str., from Tientsin. Glonartney, British str., from London, J. Sung Kiang, British str., from Tiantain. l, Toonan, Chinese str., from Tientein. l. Ningpo, German str., from Hongkong. 2, Chi-yuen, Chinese str., from Swatow. 2. Hae-shin, Chinese str., from Foochow. Thebun Chinese str., from Hongkong. 2. Kinng-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. ", Ngankin, British str., from Hankow. 2. Yiksang, British str., from Chefon. 2, Cito, German steamer, from Nagasaki. 2, Kung-pai, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 2, Kaisow, British str., from Nagrasaki. 2. Peshawur, British str., from Hongkong. 26, Peking, German str., for Hongkong.

26, Kwang-lee, Chinese str., for Swatow.

30. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo.

30, Merlin, British g-bt., from Hongkong.

30, Ingo, German str., from Nagasaki.

26. King-yung, Chinese str., for Hankow. 26, W. C. de Vries, British str., for Hankow. 26, Tungchow, British str., for Tientsin. 26, lugo, German str., for Nagasaki, 26. lehang, British str., for Ningpo 2", Porpoise, British croisor, for Chefoc. 27. Vokohama-maru, Jap. str., for Nagasaki. 27. Shanghai, British str., for Hankow. Cass, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 27. Changking, British str., for Chefco. 27, Hsinsheng, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 27. Hae-ting, Chinese str., for Chefoe. 27, Tsinan, British str., for Wuhu. 27, Kiang-toen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. 28, Hae Chang, Chinese str., for Wenchow. 28, Soothow, British str., for Chefoo. 28, Fuh Wo. British str., for Hankow, 28, Wuchang, British stra for Chefoo. 28, Poo-chi, Chinese str., for Tientsin. 28. Fu-yew, Chinese str., for Tientsin. 28, Orestee, British str., for Nagasaki. 28, Baikal, Russian str., for Vladirostock. 28, Natal, French str., for Kobe. 29, Monarch, British str., for Nagasaki. 29, Choy Sang, British str., for Wubu. 29. Ichang, British str., for Ningpo. 29, Johannes Brun, Norw. str. for Nagasaki. 30, Clyde, British str., for Hongkong.

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30, Wismar, German str., for Nagasaki.

l, Smith, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 1. Pekin. British str., for Hankow. Bual, British str., for Hankow. Store Nordiske, Danish str., for a crause. 1. Hidevorhi-marn, Jap. etr., for Kichinotzu Likewshing, British str., for Tiertsin, Cichia go lightish str., for Tientsin. 2. 1 rus der, British str., for Nagasaki. Lugo, Gorman str., for Nagasaki. .C. Kinng-teen; Chinese str., for Ningpo

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And Notice is further given that an EX-TRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING | THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship of the Company will be held at the same place on the same day at a Quarter-after Noon will leave for the above places on MONDAY, when the following Special Resolution will be That the Share Capital of the Company be in crossed to \$100,000,06 by the issue of 667 NEW SHARES of Slow each, and that

such New Shares be offered in the first ins-

tance on terms to be determined by the

General Manager toull the Members on the Register on the 14th day after the Meeting. JOHN WILLMOTT, Hongkong, 6th May, 1889.

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By Order,

C. II. GRACE,

Secretary. Houghong, 2nd May, 1889 A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN ARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the HONGKONG DISPENSARY, on MON-DAY, the 18th inst, at THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, for the purpose of receiving

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the Report of the General Manager, together

Company will be held at the same place on the saide day at a QUARTER-PASTS O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, whom the following Special Resolations will be proposed :-1.-That the present Shares in the Capital of the (ompany of \$100 each be subdivided into Shares of Teu Dollars each to admit o a wider distribution of the Capital of the

Company That with a view to the extension of the business of the Company and the purchase of additional premises in Queen's Road Central and at Kowloon the (apital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$500,000.00 by the issue of 12,000 NEW SHARES of the Value of Ten Dollars each, and that such New Shares be disposed of the Company in such manner on such inst., at 5 P.M., to consider the question of terms and at such premium as he shall in the interest of the Company determine. The among trealized by way of premium to be put to the Permanent Reserve Fund.

JOHN WILLMOTT, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 6th May, 1839. GEO. FENWICK & Co.

LIMITED. THE STATUTORY GENERAL MEET ING of the above Company will be held in the Hongkong Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th May, 1889, at 4 o'clock p.m. GEO. FENWICK

General Manager. Hongkong, 9th May, 1889. BONNAGES DU TONKIN.

NTOTICE is hereby given, that the FIRST MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, Hongay (Tonquin), on FRIDAY, the Thirty-first day of May, at Noon.

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HONGKONG, MAY 10TH, 889.

THE accounts given by eye witnesses of the horrors of the famine in Shantung show how terrible is the distress prevailing in spite of all the efforts put forth by the charitable to cope with it. The Shen-pao, referring to the famine, asserts that the relief distributed, generous as the contributions have been, bas scarcely done more than touch the outside of the misery existing, and calls on the fore the public convincing arguments as to the Chinese neople to make fresh efforts to a leviate the want endured in the stricken province. As if conscious that mere private a theory in military circles that though, in benevolence must be unequal to the task of respect of her insular situation, Japan regrappling with suffering so wide-spread, the journal before-named nakes a suggestion to the Chinese Government which, if acted upon, might provide food for thousands the hungry people. It proposes that the should be employed in the construction railways in the province, or at least preparing the track, making the necessary levellings, cuttings, embankments, &c. Phis is a sensible project, but we fear there is little chance of its receiving any serious attention in the present state of feeling in P king. Another suggestion might be offered, which should meet with more favour in the eyes of the Central Gay. stituted over a century ago, and, although it rament, namely to employ the distrissed people of Shantung on works for the control and oustoms are being introduced. The salary done, especially in Shun-te and Heinng Shan. of the Yellow River. The patching which of the highest Korean official is a quantity of A charge of extortion having been trought the banks of that turbulent and erriting

are everywhere weak, and in numerous places are in a decaying condition. Even if gold mines turn out satisfactorily an alteration putched all along its course, there will still will be made, and consequently many persons be danger owing to the silting up of the hed. American engineer who is now examining the Competent authorities declare that the bed mines at a monthly salary of 400 yen. of the river must be deepened by six or eight feet for two-thirds or three-fourths of the course, an adequate sea mouth provided by gentleman rider who is a front-rank man among premanent works, and that where the banks our racing amateurs :- I was delighted to see by are above the level of the country they must that my friends of the colony had such a good be greatly thickened. It has also been suggested that provision should be made Mongolia for intercepting flood waters, re- means of introducing to the China falent, a G. R. taining them in basin until the nilt has been deposited, and then, as the river fails, letting out the clear water. Of course any was last in Hongkong, that grand sportsman, has been for some time in Siam) engaged in col- untions. Anti-opiumists, with misplaced seal, scheme of this kind will cost a vast sum of noney, but the people who built the Great Wall and constructed the Grand Canal are confined to amateurs); for China's bravest | valuable plants, which he collected chiefly in the | prive 30,000 persons in India angaged in the should not shrink from attempting to control the Yellow River and deprive it of its power to inflict such disaster as at present renders promising that I would import as good a one as to Timor on another collecting expedition. part of three provinces sourcely habitable. The command of labour in China is simply abled me to redeem. I trust this very small turn | p.m., and demanded to see Captain Anderson, not go home and best their wives; they do not unlimited, and if such a project were decided upon, it would only be a question of time to cut an entirely new course for the Yellow River. The outlay, moreover, would not be unremunerative, for the river were rendered navigable from the sen a very extensive district would be made accessible to the coast, a large trade with which would be sure to spring up. Unfortunately the Chinese Government seem disinclined to allow even the necessary survey pital on Saturday night, suffering from symp to be made. They admit the gravity of the question, but are content to go on in the they were unavailing, and he died on Monday happy-go-lucky, hand-to-mouth style that morning at 1.80 a.m. The man who committed Kingdom, and are obviously loth to incur great expense. It seems impossible to convince them that it would be cheaper in the long run from leprosy, and was seen by Dr. Bell, who to grapple with the question boldly at once instead of resorting to half measures, which

porary press that men of experience-tire-

that if these gentlemen, who have gone to

report and offer to draw up a scheme for

the restraint of the river the Board of

eruel flood.

Yesterday was a rather light day at the Police Court, no cases of importance coming before the Magistrate.

The meeting of the Legislative Council fixed to take place at 4 p.m. to day is postponed till Thursday next, the 16th instant, at 4 p.m.

We give to day on our fourth page a chapter of Mr. Baring Gould's story "The Pennysome quicks "which was crowded out of Wednesday's

It is notified that there will be Artillery

practice from Stonecuttor's Island, South Shore

battery, between 6.30 a.m. and 10 a.m. on the 13th, 14th, and 15th, and 16th inst. We are requested to state that the Band and Pipers of the Argyll and Sutherland High-

Saturday next, nor until further notice.

A Japanese native paper states that the To kaido railway between Shimbashi (Tokyo) and Nagahama (Omi) was opened on the 16th April and a new time table was issued for every station 119 between Nagahama and Ramatusan; the fares between the two first mentioned stations are 310.86 first class, \$6.81 second class, and \$3.28

The Amon Gasette says that, according t advices from Takow, the Douglas Steamship Co.'s steamer Haiphong, loaded, in one day, 16,100 bags, roughly 1,000 tons, for Yokohama, This is the largest amount of cargo ever taken in at Takow, within the twenty-four hours. Considering that the steamer was anchored in the readstead, the fact speaks well for the researces of the port.

Madame Cora, the lady illusionist, advertises her opening performance for Tuesday evening, for which His Excallency the Governor has promised his patronage. Madame Cora's stored with vermicelli, rice, beans, &c., and the performances have been most highly spoken of by the Press wherever she has performthe extraordinary nature of her thought reading, the definess of her conjuring, and her engaging address all receiving flattering notice.

The Band and Pipers of the A. and S. Highanders will perform at Murray Barracks this evening (weather permitting) from half-past seven to half-past nine. The following is the | We do programme :-

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The Dornock Links.

" Donald Bain. The Japanese naval authorities are said to be ollecting materials with a view to placing be advisability of strengthening the navy. This step has, according to the Choun Shimbun. been rendered necessary by the prevalence of sembles England, her conditions do not call for the presence of a powerful navy.

has neither colonies nor large mercantile fleets to protect, and in the event of her communicaion with the outer world being out off she would not be reduced to such a crippled state as England would be under similar circumstances, for she could make a pretty fair attempt to supply her own necessities. The supporters of this idea of three years. assert, therefore, that it is the height of absurdity to spend great sums of money on costly ships and material. As the theory shows signs of gaining in favour, the paval authorities find themselves compelled to take measures for coun-

teracting its effects,

The following note on Kores is translated by the Hyogo News from a Japanese native paper :-The present Korean financial system was inmight have been suitable in those days, it is altogether out of place now that foreign manners rice worth, say, 160 yen, or about the same as a very low-grade clerk receives in the Japanese stream have undergone are believed to service. But this Koman has to maintain be of doubtful strength, and not at all cal several dozen male and female servants at a cost of at least 100 year every month, and the quesculated to long restrain the great rolling tion arises how, does he manage it? This flood which follows the summer rains from enrious arrangement is indicative of the Lake

once again breaking bounds. The banks system pervading all branches of the public service, and it seems so deeply rooted as to defy change. However, there are hopes that if the are looking forward anxiously to the report of the

Cantain Horace Haves in a recent number of orling News, makes this allusion ton Singapore time at their last February Races, which seem to be the best on record. I had a good deal of interest in that meeting, as I was the humble of Madras and Straits Settlement fame. I al- Chinamen und r British, French and Dutch where their abstemious babits enable them to lude to Mr. J. P. Ker. who is "bad to beat" either over a country or on the flat. When I Mr. J. D. Humphreys, was in quite a quandary, lecting orchids for a dealer in Singapore, returned | would take away an inexpensive source of enjoyin that he had a stable full of ponies, and no this week to Bangkok from a trip up country ment, and a protection from, and an alleviation gentleman rider (the races in the Happy Valley bringing with him other seven boxes of these of disease from the population; they would deand best, in Mesers. Harry Hatchings, Pond, district around Phrabat beyond Ayuthia. Mr. cultivation of opinion of their livelihood; they Reynell, Ruegg, Hough and others, were en. Pereira returned to Singapore by the steamer would further diminish the revenue of India, gaged. I consoled my stout hearted friend by Hydra, and we understand will proceed at once and all this because there is a minority which the Guindy Hunt and the Madras Gymkhans | On the 25th April an engineer named Hitch- jurious than opium dyscrasia. Persons do not make them; a pledge which Mr. Ker kindly en cock went into the Oriental Hotel about 2 get quarrelsomely drunk from opium; they do will be accepted by Mr. Humphreys as some regarding an account that he owed to the Hotel, get their livers and arteries diseased; they do whose back I unfortunately broke.

Dr. J. C. Thomson, of the Alice Memoria Hospital, writes to us as follows:-I shall be obliged if you will correct a mistaken reference made to the Alice Memorial Hospital in your issue of vesterday's date, with regard to the death of two patients. You say, "On Sunday last a patient at the Alice Memorial Hospital committee snicide by taking argenio." As a matter of fact. the patient referred to was brought to the Hostoms of arsenic poisoning already far advanced and though all efforts were made to save him patient of the Hospital in virtue of a single visit some six weeks ago. The facts regarding him are as follows -- He came to Hos-pital on Wednesday, 27th March, suffering prescribed Chaulmoogra oil internally, and Balsam Dipterocarpi (Gurgun oil) for external use. The latter was distinctly labelled "for only full the people into funcied security and outward application.;" but it is also used inter ing the intervening week and taken last Sunday are glad to see that the Kwang-pao has I do not believe it could have produced the retaken up the question, and is advocating sult alleged. In any case, until the Government Analyst shows death to have resulted from Jurgun oil, it seems to me unfair to connect the death with the Hospital on the ground of one visit six weeks ago, even with your qualification " presumably."

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[CUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."] LONDON, 7th May, OPENING OF THE PARIS EXHIBITION.

The Paris Exhibition was opened yesterday by the President of the Republic, who welcomed Works will not benitate to avail themselves of such services, and commence a work of vital importance to millions of industrious pressed the hope that the labour expended upon employed in works of peace.

FIRE IN WILMER STREET.

Shortly after half-past four yesterday morning, fire broke out in a store, No. 10, Wilmer Street, Queen's Road West. The store is the property of a Chinese merchant, Yu Woo Loong, living in Benham Strand, and who is at present away on a visit to Canton. A few minutes after the outbreak fire was sighted at No. 5 Station and the starm was also given by a constable on duty near the the juice of the grape. It is supposed that the Question has been settled, by a quiet intimation Prince entered the room occasionally; but was spot The Brigade as soon as the alarm was gives hastened to the scene, under the command of the Superintendent, Hon. H. E. Wodehouse, and Assistant Superintendent Horspool and three engines, a manual from No. 7 Station. and another private one belonging to the Nam Pak Hong were got to work as soon as possible. landers will not play in the Public Gardens on In the meantime, however, the earliest arrivals by chewing the root of a plant, ejecting the no inconvenience as, owing to improvements in at about half-past seven in the morning, when of the Brigade had connected with the street saliva into a bowl and fermenting it. plage, but the force of water in the main was so. small that the stream from the plugs was not of rufficient power to reach the first floor of the building. Had the water in the main been of the manufacturers being young girls. The sufficiently high pressure, there is no doubt the Englishman drinks gin or beer, or port or porter. flames would have been overcome before the fire or (happily a good many now) claret. The Gerhad got well hold and the large loss prayented, As it was there was nothing for it but to wait, and although the engines got steam-as the Central Asian steppes, and the wanderers on speedily as possible, some little delay necessarily occurred, and by the time they sent the first stream over the burning house the flames had got a thorough hold, making it impossible to save the building, which despite the efforts of the firemen was completely destroyed. Their timely aid, however, privented the flames spreading and the fire was confined to the house in which it broke out, though the adjoining houses, Nos. 8 and 12, suffered slight demane from water. No. 10 was was, we understand insured in an office which Mesera Siembsen & Co. are agents for \$15,000. The origin of the fire is at present

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Sir,-In two Chinese newspapers published in the Colony to-day there is a paragraph stating (1 that a patient in the Alice Memorial Hospital poisoned bimself with arsenic, probably on account of unendurable suffering there, and (2) that on the same day a patient drank by mistake another patient's medicine, meant for external us and died immediately. Now, having made enquiry at the Hospital, I beg you to insert your valuable paper this correction :- that the above two statements are utterly false. - Yours, J. CHALMERS.

Hongkong, 9th May.

SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG-PAO."

7th May. A proclamation issued by the Vicercy appears in to-day's number. The object of this proclam ation is to notify all iron merchants that the fees hitherto collected by the Reorganization Board will, in consequence of heavy losses sus-

tained by the merchants, be remitted for a period . Suggestions are again given by an anonymou writer that the measures adopted by P'an i the Ming dynasty for the repairs of the Yellow River should on account of their excellence and

efficiency be again adopted. The labouring classes in Fatshan were muc concerned on account of the absence of rain, bu their fears have now been dispelled by the fall of heavy showers which will enable them to lay.

During the last gale considerable damage was against two students the Prefect has given orders to the Nanhai Magistrate to investigate the case. Aplank sawyer baving presumed to saw planks without belonging to the guild appeal has been made by the members for vindication of their

Much stir is caused by the presence in Lienchow of a prognosticator who attributes all his auccess to his thumb. Some braves who were asked to arrest a thick

infringed rights.

insisted upon payment of \$5 before they did Another gambler loses his money and takes harmless enjoyment. Dr. Ayres, colonial surgeon, his life by swallowing opium. A thief who walked into a house was shut in

by a young servant. Assistance was called for and the men apprehended.

BANGKOK.

We are informed that nearly all the licenses protection have now been granted.

Mr. Pereira who, as we mentioned formerly, be sufficient evidence that it does not destroy

slight compensation for the loss of his pony and for which proceedings had been taken against not become paralysed as from alcohol. In short him in the British Consulate. Captain Ander- unless they use opium immoderately they do not son came down and referred him to the Consul. upon which he became very abusive and turn their attention to intemperance at home. struck Captain Anderson with a stick which he carried. A struggle ensued in which Hitchcook was thrown down. Captain Anderson was then moving away when Hitchcook, who had in the mean time got up, took a revolver from his pockat and fired at the Captain but fortunately missed him. Hitchcook was seized by some of. the bystanders and the revolver taken from land as a young man, entered politics, and rose him. A warrant was issued for his arrest the

with a liberal hand .- Mercantile Gazette.

stories. One of his speedotes, which he told

OPIUM EATING

Surgeon-General Moore writes as follows likely to be brought forward again, a few remarks minimum of enjoyment, of which no human on the subject may not be misplaced. The desire being is to be deprived, unless on account of planted a vineyard. The suppers of Lucuilus. bright Helen mixed a "mirth-inspiring bowl," writers show that men in their time did not live mandate. It is difficult to say which is the the coachman left the house. Sea Islands not only ferment the juice of the cocon-nut, but have their ava or kava prepared Emperor resides in many places. This involves Dropping off to sleep, however, he only awoke drink prepared in somewhat similar manner end to end of his vast dominious in twelve days. is the South American pewarri. A compound The Emperor is actually occupying his magniof like nature has been described as in use in the districts bordering China and Thibet. man takes beer; the Frenchman, absinthe: the Scotchman, whisky over which he would rather throttle than water it). The Nomadio tribes of Eastern travellers generally, finding opium handy to pack and carry, and obtainable economically, being the produce of the Indian Turks, Slava. Albanians, and not a few Greeks. Bo do the Malays and not a few Chinese. only in China but in Calcutta and other distant parts of the world, where this agent, presumed so niterly destructive of energy, has not prerented the Chinese penetrating. Possibly some peculiar national constitution

aids facility of acquisition in deciding the particular form of stimulo-narcotic chosen. AB richard observes, " the Chinese, whose greatest deficiency as shown by the whole history, religion, and literature of the race, is in the imaginative faculties, resort to that which stimuates the imagination, and makes their sluggish brains see visions, and dream dreams." As De Quincey obserged, " If you eat a good deal of it (opium) you must do what is disagreeable to any man of regular habite, viz., die." But if a smaller quantity of opium is consumed the effects are very different. In some of the lower animals the muscles are thrown into a condition of clonic spasm, and in the human subject without this excess of action being indicated, the circulation is excited, the pulse becomes fuller, firm, and more forcible, and the blood and external skin warmer. This gives place in about half-an-hour to a slight feeling of fulness in the head, numbness or rather languor of the limbs, indisposition to exertion, insensibility to external impressions, with a enocession of varue fleeting and most generally pleasurable mental sensations. If the first feeling of drewsiness is resisted (always premising that the dose is small and adapted to the constitution of the person) an exactly opposite mental condition ensues. The faculties become more clear, the power of application is rendered more intense, the ideas are more brilliant, and even memory is facilitated. The person under such influence is forced, as it were, to do something. He cannot remain idle He must talk or jump or write, or make plans for the future. In what peculiar manner opium may affect different persons is, however not certain. While one becomes more capable for his ordinary vocations, another ppears impatient to pursue some line of action foreign to his usual pursuits; a variation which can only be explained by peculiarity of constitution or idiosynerasy showing more prominently

under the opium excitament. All this, however, is the result of taking opinion either as pills or as umal paunes (opium water) Chandul smoking, as practised in the East, produces scarcely any of the above effects. There is ture, or even of the cerebral faculties. Chandul. should be stated, is prepared by drying. boiling, and straining opium. When the chandul s smoked it is held on the flame of a lamp. which it undergoes, it is believed that most, if that, therefore, very little narcotic principle is been alleged to be. Dr. Cameron, in his account its use being beneficial in a malarious country like China. In an article on malarious fevers Indian Annals, No. 21 Tremarked: "I have George Birdwood considers chandul smoking a clearly in an unsound state of mind. Hongkong, who has taken great pains to measure the influence of the habit of opium smoking, states that the habit is mischievous only for those who cannot afford it. And so on, numerous authorities might be quoted to similar

But the hale and hearty condition of many who have need opium for years should be sufficient proof that opium used in moderation does not destroy the consumer. And the penetration to sell spirits which were at first refused to the of the Chinese into different parts of the world. more than compete with other workmen, should abuses a bleesing. Alcoholism is much more insuffer from the practice. Anti-opiumists should

A.D. 2000. Sir Julius Vogel is a colonial statesman of the

hest type. With the best culture the mother-

country could give him, he went out to New Zee.

from post to post of administrive dignity unti he governed the dependency as Premier. He was The cremation of Phra Tama Saranit former- the author of the immigration and public works Phys Charoen took place on Sunday, the 2'st | policy of 1870, to which, as a declaration of prinboth ladies and gentlemen, who attended to him Vogel now comes before the world as the guests were admirable, and the temporary of his book. Everybody wants to knew some for whom he had an attachment. The girl had structures for the purpose were cool, thing about the year 2000, or something about run away from her mother's house in Vienna, thing about the year 2000, or something about run away from her mother's house in Vienna, comfortable, and in excellent taste. His Majesty the destiny of woman, and most persons would lighted the pyre, but was not visible to the baglad to learn a little about both. The volume other guests, which we thin't was a mistake and _there is but one is interesting, therefore, from not calculated to increase his popularity. The its cover onwards, and not merely from its titlecommon people were not neglected, there being page. "A.D. 2000" is a dream, but a dream with a theatre and a native musical band to minister a purpose. It is one of those fascinating foreto their instruction and amusement. Refresh- casts of the perfectibility of man which ments of different kinds were also dispensed are aut to beguile the leisure of the sluggard of intelligence as he lies late abed on Sunday forencons. It shows us what the world will be like in eractly one hundred and eleven years The other night (says the London Figure) Mr. from the present day, and, as an introduction to Sala was in great form at the dinner-table of a that picture, its probable condition in the year well-known Badical politician, and literally kept of grace 1920. By that time the rich people the table in a rear with his flow of well told will have had enough of it that is, enough of being rich. They may indeed go on being rich with much effect, was sment a certain converted for the good of their fellow-creatures, but they cannibal chief, who, in describing to a are quite determined to have none of their fellow traveller the various ways in which he had creatures absolutely poor. So, one day in 1920, cooked for his table the missionaries he had a few of them, representing aix of the largest successively killed and eaten, dwelt, with evi- fluencial houses throughout the globe, assemble give assistance in lifting blavie on to a Dalip Narain Singh was actually named Radhe dent longing for the flesh-pots of Egypt, on by agreement "to discuss the present material the toutheoms memories called up by his narra- condition of the world and its future prespects." afterwards. The Crown Prince, in his terror ing to be the rightful heirs as sons of the tive. At last, pressed to any of what feast on It is rather a large order, but they feel equal to and consternation, probably made up his mind deceased owner, though in reality, he said, neither "long plg" (for this is the cannibal name for it. Others may not a tirely share their confid- at that time that he would commit suicide; but of them was entitled to the property. The human flesh) he had the most appotising remain. sence when they learn that the most leads to no- after the first outburst of his grief was over he Ludges, in their decision, rejected the augus stidns brance, he confessed that, after trying many thing more than a recommendation to extend grew calm, and ordered his valet to say nothing of Palakdhari, and not only held that Dal p the people to the festival, and in his speech ex. various wits, he had come to the conclusion that the paper currency, with a view to an increase of what had cocurred. Marsin Singh was the son of the deceased owner a missionary never tasted so toothsomely an of the circulating medium, and to the raising with a white sheet; and the Prince, taking some but that the person before them was the true when he was reasted in his boots! "For, you of prices all round. This is the sowing of the flowers from a wase, scattered them over this Dalip Narain The evidence was most conand bardworking people, who have so often the work was hastening the advent of the time see," the converted cantibal concluded, with an seed, and in A.D. 2000 we have the harvest. shroud. He then went into snother room to tradictory, and, as Mr. Juntice Straight reonly too pelpable smack of his fat lips, de Posterity is all on the higher plane of being, and dies with Count Joseph Hoyos, and the valet marked, there must have been perjury of the been rendered home less and destitute by the when the resources of the nations would be saidly leather of de boots makes such be universally naturally supposed that the two would concert most audacious description on one side or the

executive force of the world. There have been ordered. many changes in the aims and constitution of society. Public opinion and law have fixed a ficent palace on the banks of the Yarra above

Reginald Parrametta, and she is reflecting on the Philip and Count Hoyos were summoned. The secret causes of her aversion to his suit, when she door was broken open, and the Crown Prince was the Himalayan slopes, the Indian Kossids and is disturbed by the entrance of the Right Hon- then seen lying dead on the bed, beside the lifeourable Mrs. Bardinge, who is not only Prime less figure of Marie It had taken the Prince Minister of the Empire of Britain, but the fore- nearly twelve hours after Marie -- 's death to most statesman of the world. Let it suffice to say nerve himself to this set of desperation, and there that in the end Hilds's instinctive objections to can be no doubt whatever that his suithe Lord with the name like the title of a row- cide was that of a man out of his senses. thing for him as Emperor, as the reader who is examination, the state of his brain showed that experienced in the fiction of the dark ages in he could not long have preserved even the outwhich we live will have already divined. This ward samblance of sanity. little matter settled, his Majesty has a fight with the Americans, who have been rude, and vanquishes them with singular ease, after capturing their own particular desire to his Dominion of Canada. Such is the day dream of an amiable gifted man; and, lest there should ministrator, it might be more easily met with sneer. As it is, it compels the reflection that we shall all look particularly foolish in A.D 2000, if Sir Julius should prove to have been true prophet of the principles of that time.

THE TRUE STORY OF PRINCE RUDOLPH'S DEATH.

The April number of Temple Bar contains gas was thrown into the air as would "fire." at what purports to be the true story of the death of Crown Prince Rudolph. "All other versions as to the causes or circumstances of his death," we are told. " are fanciful.".

THE FIRST CLOUDS. As long ago as 1885, says the writer, clouds began to gather over the Prince's domestic life The Wittelsbach blood apparently began to work in him. After a long period of rest, he began to crave for excitement again. He grew more reckless in his shooting expeditions, exposed himself unnecessarily to dangers, and was cager for adventures. His physical strength was not the process of preparation, and by the combustion | equal to the demands which he made upon it, and he had to revive himself with stimulants. His not all, the noxious properties are destroyed, and | temper got spoiled. He passed from fits of deep moodiness to angry parcayams, in which he spoke taken into the mouth with the smoke. There roughly to everybody about him. His irregulas incontrovertible evidence that chandul rities becan to be noticed, rumours of them emoking is not the injurious habit it has reached his wife, and there were painful domestic scenes. The Princess Stephanie was of Singapore, said opium does no particular harm | too much in love with her husband to let herin moderation. Prichard, in his "Administration self be abandoned, especially as she saw, with a invention, although he seems to have done all India," remarks, if a comparative statement | wife's penetration, that her husband's cours the mischievous results following the consump- were leading him to perdition. Better than his process was a good one. But not only was tion of spirits and of opinm were drawn up, the anybody she marked the deterioration in his results would be very much in favour of the lat- bealth, manners, and character, produced by his ter. Mr. Laing in his budget statement, 1862-63. | altered style of living, and she made desperate observed opiom is neither better nor vary much attempts to save him, though, perhaps; she did worse than gin. Dr. Winchester, in his evidence not always use the best means to this end. He. before the Indian Finance Committee, speaks of on his side, was too ill-pleased with himself take her expostulations in good part, and sharp words on both sides gradually led to more violent scenes of recrimination! At last a complete frequently observed the confirmed opium user estrangement supervened, and the pair lived escape fever when others were attacked." Sir | much as possible apart The Crown Prince was

EVIDENCES OF INSANITY. When dining alone, the Prince would, if disand dishes off the table with a sweep of the hand. tracted a taste for low company which was quite Cabmen and the least respectable of music-hall tenacionaly to his idea of divorce.

THE LAST "SCENES." having been reprimanded by his father. ... AT MEYERLING.

Meyerling-a Tuesday-he was joined by his went out shooting together, accompanied for whom he had an attachment. The girl had and was making a tearful appeal to the Grown Prince not to desert her. Prince Philip of Coburg tried hard to persuade him to return to Vienna and attend a Court dinner, but he refused; so Prince Philip went back to Vienna alone; leaving Marie - still at the Schloss. THE LADY TAKES POISON.

The girl then made another hysteric appeal valued at about a lakh of rapees, and litigation the Prince not to foreake her, and he was had been carried on at intervals since 1873. The obliged to tell her of the peremptory orders owner of the land died in the year 1872, and it which he had received from his father. Upon is alleged that eight months after his death his this Marie turned away, and, unseen by the widow gave birth to a son. The fact of a son Prince, swallowed the contents of a paper full of having been born was denied by his father's strychnine powder. The violent poison took cousin, but in the first action the title of the chile almost immediate effect, and the unfortunate was upheld. The law proceedings were revived girl rulled on the floor uttering piercing in 1886, when Palakdhari Singh, the cousin screams. The I'rince's valet came to the resone, referred to, urged that Dalip Narain Singh, who and was frantically told to ran and fetch a doctor; had been adjudged the owner of the property. but before he could leave the house on this had died, or at any rate had disappeared. He errand, he was called back and required to also suggested that the person calling himself bed. She died in convulsions about half an hour | Kishan; so that there were two persons pretendsoknowledged their superiority in mental power. means for informing Marie -- e friends of her other,

They have become the guiding, and men the death. So he remained silent as he had been

A TERRIBLE EVENING. The Crown Prince ate little at dinner; but drank feveriebly, and several times left the room to go and look at Marie-s body and to for some stimulant always has been, and always orime. The rule is almost without exception, for write letters. After dinner a cabman who had will be a characteristic of humanity. In the ear- orims as an occupation has become unknown, and driven the Prince to Meyerling and had put up liest times Noah began to be a husbandman and hereditary crime has been rendered impossible. his horses in the stables of a neighbouring villa The consolidated Empire of Great Britain is was introduced into the dining-room to sing given in the Apollo chamber, were not without the most powerful on the globe. The Irish comic sougs before Count Hoyes. The Crown nepenthe of Homer was home, and that when from the Colonies that the old see-saw of crime too agitated to sit down, and he complained and poersion must stop, and that Ireland of headache. Yet he was loth that the some part of the hemp plant so friendly to the must enjoy local liberties. The English Count and the cabman should separate, and joys of life" was used by the fair compounder. Premier was at first disposed to be "inso- he kept these strange guests up till three in the The satires of Juvenal, Perseus, and other olden lent," but he had to accept the counsel as a morning. Count Hoyes then went to bed and without stimulants. The natives of the South seat of government, for the Federal Parliament | ralet was also told to go to bed, but feeling unis held in different parts of the world, and the easy he went and lay down in his clother.

locomotion, his Majesty can with case go from Prince Philip of Coburg returned from Vienna

The valet went to inform his master of Prince Melbourne when the leve-making begins. We Philip's arrival and found him sitting half-dresask leave to skip the love-making, or to say no sed on the side of his bed. The Crown Prince more of it than that the sweat girl Hilds, who gave orders to prepare the guns for shooting, and is the object of it, is of colonial origin, and sits | the valet went away to do this, but returning in in the Federal Parliament as Under-Secretary of about twenty minutes heard a shot, and rushing State for Home Affairs. She is beloved by Lord to the Prince's door found it locked. Prince ing-match prevail, and that she becomes the It remains only to be said that in the opinions bride of the Emperor himself. She cares no of the doctors who made the post-mortem

FORTUNES OUT OF THE FIRE.

NEW USE FOR BLAST PURNACE GASES. A short history of what has been done with these gases during the last thirty years may be be any mistake as to the interpretation of instructive, as it will not only show the enorit the author has kindly furnished a key. mous waste which previously existed, but will He writes to promote the equality of the show the progress which has been made and the sexes, the federation of the Empire, and the amount of mo ey now obtained from what was relief of extrems poverty and destitution. He formarly allowed to go into the air—an amount is most original in the last. The Court of public which will go far to enable the ironnasters of opinion may be with him as to the first and se- Scotland to compete successfully with the coud, but it is hardly prepared for the doctrine couthern makers. It is not necessary to describe that "every human being is entitled to a suf- the gases further than to say they consist of ficiency of food and clothing and to decent carbonic oxide, 25 to 30 per cent ; carbonic acid, lodging, whether or not he, or she, is willing to 3 to 13; hydrogen, 5 to 10; marsh gas, 2 to 4; or capable of work." The author has no fear any and nitrogen, 47 to 60. Besides these we have great number of men will cease to want to work in the gases, as they issue from the furnace, merely because they have enough to eat. The from 300 to 450 pounds of water from every ton. bigher the social status, the more keen the of coal put into the furnace; and further, every ambition. In other words, he denies that theory | ton of coal also yields from 1:0 to 220 pounds of of the stimulating offect of want or misery tarry oil, and also ammonia equal to about 28 which is the corner-stone of the political economy pounds of sulphate of numonia. Every Scotof our day. It is a bold denial, and if it came | tish blast furnace produces about 3,000,000,000 cubic feet of these gases per annum. This quantity is strived at by taking the pig-iron made by each furnace to be 12,000 tons per annum. and the quantity of coal used to the tou of pig-iron at 2 tons, and each ton of this coal produces 125,000 cubic feet of these gases. Taking the number of blast furnaces in Scotland as 80, we have an annual production of gas of 240,000,000,000 cubic feet; in other words, the yearly make of gas from the blast furnaces now in blast in Scotland would fill a gasholder 1,100 feet wide and 1,000 feet high, extending from Edinburgh to Glasgow. Or, to take it another may, as much least, 1,000 full sized Lancashire boilers. Thirty. years ago, this enormous quantity of gas was allowed to escape into the air, where it was not only lost, but caused considerable nuisance to the inhabitants near the iron works. Gradually during the last thirty years the blast furnness in Scotland have been covered over, and the gases have been used to great advantage and profit for raising the necessary steam and for heating the air required in the the making of pig iron. As we have before observed the blast furnace gases contained large quantities of water, tarry oil and ammonia; but up to the year 1874 the value, and indeed, we may say the existence, of ammonia in these gases was not known. But in the year 1874. Mr. Henry Aitken, of Falkirk, who had previously experimented with gases of this description, patented the process for obtaining oil. tar, and ammonia from blust furnace gases. Still. as we read in the proceedings of the iron and Steel Institute, he failed to convince practical men of the utility and profitable nature of hishe unable to convince practical men of the utility of his process, but he failed to convince scientific men who had been called in to decide the question of the advantages to be derived from it. These gentlemen reported that there

was no ammonia in blast furnace gases, and that the tar was of little amount and value, and would not pay for its collection. In the face of such circumstances Mr. Aitken's process remained . mworked. So matters stood till the year 1879, when Mesers. Alexander & M'Cosh, of the firm of William Baird of Gartsherrie, put up plant to obtain the oil, tar, and ammonia at their Gartsherrie works. Having successfully worked the process there, they have adopted it at satisfied with what was brought him, dash glasses their other works. At Summerlee and Lang. loan iron works, the blast furance gases He went about slamming doors. He stormed at are being treated principally for their ammonia. servants and threatened them. It also began to At Govan iron works, plant is being erected to be observed by his entourage that he had con- obtain the tar, oil and ammonia; so that shortly one-balf of the blast furnaces in Scotland will at variance with his naturally refined instincts be utilising their blast furnace gases for the production of tar, oil, and ammonia. The question comics were invited to sing before him in private may be asked what would be the value of the tar, parties to which only boon companions were oil and ammonia if the whole of the blast furadmitted, and at which a great doal was drunk. naces in Scotland were furnished with plant to He became haunted by two fixed ideas one, that secure these products? Taking it that the he should die mad like his kinsman the late King make of pig iron in Scotland is 1,000,000 tons of Bavaria; and the other, that he might per annum, and that two tons of coal are required possibly be saved if he got a divorce. The to produce one ton of pig iron, each ton of coal thought of snicide had undoubtedly germinated producing equal to 23ib sulphate of ammonia, we in his mind, but this brought him back the more have a total production of 20,000 tons of sulphate of ammonia, which, at the present price of £12 sterling per ton, would be £240,000. When the His petition to the Pope for a divorce was crude tarry oil is distilled, each ton of coal is referred to the Emperor of Austria, who called found to give a produce of 16 gallons of oil, or, on his son and tried to reason with him upon his say, a total quantity of 32,000,000 gallons from extreme folly, The Crown Prince was dogged in the 2,000,000 tons of coal used. The present price in his answers, and had at length to be told that, of this oil is 2d pergallon, equal to £250,000. In like if he did not mend his manners, he should be manner, each ton of coal produces about 1601b of sent to live for a year or two in Bosnia or some. pitch, which on the like quantity of coal equals where else far from Court. As for the young 140,000 tons. The price of this is 12s, per ton at the lady, with whom his name had become associated | works-equal to £84,000. We should thus have if -a young lady of some beauty, but with no all the furnaces in Scotlandwere securing their tar, other remarkable attractions - he was warned oil, and ammonia, a gross production in value of that if he did not break off his relations with £574,000. It should be stated that after the her, her family would be requested to put her gases have been deprived of all this ammonia, oil, in a convent. This was on the Sunday before and pitch, they are still amply sufficient to supthe Crown Prince's death. He had had a ply the necessary heat for raising steam and terrible scene with his wife that day, before heating the air required for making the pig iron. The capital required to be expended on plant to secure the above products may be taken at The day after the Crown Prince's arrival at £5,000 per furnace, and if a depreciation of ten per cent. is allowed on this capital expenditure. brother-in-law, Prince Philip of Coburg, who say £500 a year, and a further sum of £500 is went down to rememstrate with him. The two required for wages of the men employed at the tar and ammonia works, we have still left someof the Princes, and a large number of Europeans. due. With these titles to consideration Sir Ju. Count Joseph Hoyos; but the Prince soon left thing like half a million pounds to the good; or he party, and when Prince Philip returned to rather, that the cost of pig-iron would be reduced the Echloss he found the Crown Prince in the by this amount, or by a sum of nearly 10s. per arrangements for the accommodation of the stiny" (Hutchinson & Co.), is the attractive title company of Mille. Marie ---, the young lady ton, compared with what would have been obtained had the tar, oil, and ammonia been allowed to go to waste as formerly. There is a ready market for all that can be got.-Glasgow An action which was decided in the Allahabad

> an Indian Tichborne case, says the local paper. The matter in dispute was landed property

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The Marquis of Bute has presented 130 acres of land to the town of Cardiff for a public park. | dog, and in whom the disease had developed, one i.i. made with a view to preserving quiet and | the juice of these plants entered, his mouth, and g od order, calls for the exclusion of all members be swallowed it. A moment of reason seems of the gentler ser.

From the French :- A literary Bohamian, who habitually fasts twice in the week for other than ecolesiastical reasons, overheard a friend talking about "writer's cramp." "Writer's cramp? Ab. I know what that is. It's oramp in the stomach."

The application of electricity to street rail ways in America is proceeding rapidly. Already nine lines are fully equipped and running, while 22 are being built, and 15 others have been con tracted for.

A reilway in New Branswick, 27 miles long, was sold the other day for 27 dollars. sounds oheap, even for a Transatlantic line; but there may have been one or two little liabilities attaching to the purchase.

The Circassian community in the Cancasus have requested permission for a general emigration into Turkey. The request will probably be refused, as the Circamians already in Asia Minor re looked on with suspicion.

The Czar has just given the Prince of Montepegro a really practical birthday present. He has sent him, with his best: wishes, 6,000 magaine rifles, with about 500,000 cartridges to erve as ammunition for the same.

The costliest stable in the world has been built in Syracuse, New York State, for D. Edrar Crouse, a gentlaman known in America as the millionaire borseman." When it is comlated it will represent an outlay of at least 00,000 dollars.

build their homes, on the condition that they each .- Madras Times. mm out of what they save by ceasing to rink. He reports that he is repaid with the me?" "Not yet awhile. I intend retaining my

The latest lapsus lingues on the stage is said be that which was perpetrated by a performer the "Madama Midas" company, which ow on tour. In the last act he had to reply to he inquiry "Who are you?-Pierre?" by say. your unworthy husband, Randolph illiers!" Instead of that he cried, "Your un-

orthy husband, Randolph Churchill!"

gustion?-"You preached awful long, paps, t I beared it.

An amusing story is told of Mr. Rogers (son Mr. H. Schütz Wilson writes :- Waldemar, ne measure of Home Rule you will die."

and Duke Alexis of Russia. Many years ago and Duke has remained unmarried.

Little tonio.

An interesting experiment is reported from of the Leipsio hospitals. Pieces of skin m the bodies of several white persons were ne time since grafted upon a negro under atment. These transplanted fragments graally became darker and darker, finally assumthe same colour as the rest of the patient's n. This circumstance induced the further eximent of grafting black skin on a white body. at was fourteen weeks ago. After a few eks the transplanted piece began to whiten I now it is impossible to mark any difference polour between it and the rest of the body.

cession which closed the Carnival at Madrid For Honelulu-18 packages merchandise. For as very well-made model of a steamboat, which, Punta Arenas—199 packages merchandise. For er apparently steaming up the street, east and La Libertad-4 cases silks, and 5 cases merchaner in front of the Royal Palace. Every mem- dise. For San José de Guatemala-3 cases silks. tangites, or some other instrument, and form- chandise, and 8 cases silks. For Callao-2 cases in a picturesque group on their flower-rigged silks. For New York-16 cases silks, and 2 It proceeded to sing and play for the delects. packages matting. of the royal spectators, including the baby ng of Spain himself, who, it was decided by delighted crowd, must, judging by the attive way he listened to the serenade, have an

Talleyrand had a confidential servant exceserlatively inquisitive. Having one day insted him with a letter, the prince watched Patna (New) \$520 per chest. faithful valet from the window of his apartnt, and with some surprise observed him coolly ding the letter on route. On the second day milar commission was confided to the servant to the second letter was added a postscript the following terms: "You may send a yeranswer by the bearer; he is perfectly acsinted with the whole affair, having taken the caution to read this previous to its delivery." ch a postscript must have been more effective n the severest reproaches.

Tharles Frederick Theodore Steinway, who at his residence in Brunswick, Germany, the 25th March, aged 63 years, was, the On New York. inway, the closest son of Henry Engelhardt inway, the founder of the well-known house Steinway and Sons. New York. Born in On BOMBAY. 5 at Seesen, near the Harts Mountains, he v showed a talent for music and was brought in his father's planoforte manufactory. About ON CALCUTTA. year 1850 he started in business on his own count in Bronswick, where he remained until 5, when he joined his father and brothers in W York. He was, after Bebastian Erard, the emost and most fertile inventor of improvents in planeforte building, and the present BOVEREIGNS feetien of the modern system of plane-connotion is due to a great extent to his laboura.

Zurich, has been giving an interviewer an allists there. He seems to have had a narrow one of the cleverest of the Revolutionaries. had invented a new explosive which he was North China Insurance-Tla. 840 per share. ered, and with this went to the hospital where ow it into a bucket of water, with the consenarrowly escaped with his life. Brinstein \$390 per share. of the compound with him to the other world.

A cure is said to have been discovered for hydrophobia at Ayaoucho, in Peru. The story is that a man who had been bitten by a mad day rushed in madness from his house, and fall. One of the rules of the Royal Library of Ber- ing amongst a lot of "peuca" plants, some of to have followed, during which he seized some of the leaves, broke them and drank of the milky. and glutinous sap with which they are generally saturated. When his friends found him he was onseless, with the "penca" or "magney" leaves clutched in his hands. He was carried to his home and soon regained his health. Experience has long since taught the Indians that "peuca" juice or sap invariably acts as a cure upon dogs suffering from hydrophobia. The sooner "penes" plants find their way to other countries the better

A solitary male elephant which had killed two men, and was a source of great terror to the inhabitants of Chengam, a Talug of the South Arcot District, was eventually pursued and killed some time last year by some villagers in a clear ing in a forest near the village of Quilon, and the late Mr. Woolridge, on hearing of this, repaired to the spot with a view of securing the skeleton of the beast for the Central Museum, Mardray Madras, but unfortunately did not reach it till after the burial of the carcase had taken place he, however, secured the tusks, and sent intimation to the Museum authorities, who speedily des patched an exerienced Taxidermist to exhans the bones and transfer them to Madras. This was done, and the skeloton is now mounted and set up in the lobby of the Museum. It is exact ly 10 feet 6 in height and must have been a giant of its species in life, for Mr. Banderson, the talented author of "Thirteen Years among the Wild Beasts of India." an undisputed authority on the subject states that, out of hundreds of elephants that he had measured in the flesh he never ound one to have exceeded a height of 9 feet 10 inches. So our Museum may well lay claim to the proud position of the skeleton of the biggest Barnum, the showman, is a practical temper- elephant ever killed in India. The tusks are 6 see apostle. He lands money to working men feet long slong the curve, and weigh 50 pounds

Mrs. Rood, of Chicago, is the inventor of a new soney and extra strength gained by tamperance system of house furnishing. She has already taken out several patents and is about to apply Franz, what a shocking bad hat you have got for more. To apply her inventions the walls u. Isn't it about time you purchased a new and partitions of buildings will have to be made thinker, and interior space economized by utilizreedom as long as possible!" "Freedom! what ing cavities in the walls for holding the furniabbish are you talking about?" "My wife told ture. Each piece of futniture will fold or slide he the other day she would not go out with me into its place, and when not in use will form part It I got a new hat, and I mean her to wait a of the mural decoration. "Instead of unsightly bare walls," she explains, "which you now find even in the houses of the well-to-do, handsome woodwork will be seen. Here is the model of parlour furnished according to the new plans. You see only that pier glass, that old fashioned heavily carved mahogany chair, that settee, and that panel of fine woodwork. I wish to make my toilet. I press this ton. Presto! the panel turned out a complete dresser-under here is the commode; upthere A man who got lost in the bush in South are drawers and little cabinets for everything a natralia resorted to an ingenious expedient for woman or even an old-maidish man wants. caping from his dilemma. After wandering trick up with, I finish. Another button it poat for four days he decided to cut a telegraph pressed. Is there a knock at the door? If so, I ne and camp on the spot. His plan worked, am ready to sak Mrs. J. Browne Smythe right he telegraph repairers were sent out along the into my little parlour. But perhaps you are he to discover the cause of the interruption, and hungry. You would like lunch. Another butme upon the wanderer in time to save his life. ton! Out comes the chair into the centre of the room. As it leaves the wall it brings with it the A minister's little daughter, who had been to top of a table, which lowers into place thus."

aurch for the first time and heard her father | With a movement of the hand and a triumphal each, was questioned by him on reaching home exclamation. "But look at what the table-top to how she liked his sermon. There was an has left exposed. A sideboard! There is room abarrassed silence. Then the little maid, tired for dishes and silverware, places for knives and t with the long strain of "being good," and forks, compartments for table-linen, decanters t anxious not to offend in any wise, made an- everything that makes up a sideboard." " ith er with a long drawn breath of patient re. a mother's prescience Mrs. Rood has not forgot ten to put in a folding baby-bed, and there is also a little cradle that swings out of the wainscoting-

Professor Thorold Rogers), who is now a Freiherr von Biedermanns, in the third number ysician in London. He was summoned the of his interesting "Goethe's Gesprache," relates her day to see a patient at one of the London the following anecdote, which is so characteristic spitals who was suffering from delirium tre. of the two men that it seems worth while to rens. The patient turned out to be a Times port it to the Eaglish public. The anecdote tness. Said Mr. Rogers, jun., to his patient, shows that Karl August knew how to reverence the humour worthy of his father, "If you the kinglier poet. On the occasion, in 1797, n't give up the Times and whisky and take to Wieland was reading aloud at Tiefurt, the country seat of the Downger-Duchess Amalie, that translation of "The Knights of Aristopvery touching remance attaches to the hanes" which he had made for his own Athenceum. It was late in antumn. It so happened fell in love with a young lady attached to his that on the same day Karl August on his rether's-the Empress's-household and mar-turn from hunting, passed by Tiefart, and joind her. His father, the late Czar, getting to ed the assemblage which was listening to ow of the marriage, exiled the Grand Duke. Wieland's reading. The reading had already nulled the marriage, and compelled the young | began when the Dake arrived. Owing to the e under threats of banishment to Siberia at lateuess and the coldness of the season the a physician. By this marriage rooms of Duchess Amalia were warmed. The Caur forestalled all possibility of the Grand Duke, coming from exercise and out of the ke and his wife ever becoming reunited. The open air, found the room too hot; and himself opened the half of one of the windows, Some ladies lightly clothed, sitting near the If it should become generally known that window, had hardly begun to murmur at the cold pple who regularly sate opium sometimes live draught, when Goeths, stepping softly, in order be over eighty, there will probably be a con- not to interrupt the reading, walked to the winerable increase in the habit. A correspondent dow and closed it. The Duke's face he was the Standard says that it has long been usual sitting at the opposite side of the salon—sudden-the Fen country to eat opium as a prophylac-ly grew dark as he became aware that the window against malaris, and that nobody seems any which he had opened had been shut. He called worse for it. It is all a matter of habit. No out to the sorvants, "Who has shut the window abt, if one made it one's custom to sesson the which I had just opened?" The servants did p with a dash of strychnine (like King Mith. not dare, even by a look, to denounce Goethe: ates) the human organism would grow accust- who himself stepped forward, and with that ed to it and would regard the dose as a pleas- mingled air of reverence and of irony which was peculiarly his own, said, "Your Transparency has the power of life and |death over all your subjects. Let judgment and doom be pronounced against me!" The Duke smiled and the window remained closed.

COMMERCIAL INTRICLIGENCE.

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The man descending the stairs had hesitated, and his hesitation had lost him. . Had he made | Very-well. We will suppose it is so. . Then let a dash at Mrs. Sidebottom and Salome, swept it come out. I will be no party to lying, disthem naide and gone down the passage to the simulation, to the screening of swindlers and garden door, he would have escaped before scoundrels of any sort. My house is not a re-Philip entered. But the sight of Mrs. Side- beiving house for stolen goods I will return bottom, her vehement demand for her money, to the robbed that of which they have been de made him turn from her and fly into Mrs. Cus- spoiled. Hand me the bag. escane to the garden, through the window.

was in his house, all throo-he, Salome, and Mrs. passing over it. He stooped, picked up the cane, Sidebottom, stood in the hall, silent, from the kitchen, and Philip at once bade her it had the appearance of being a weapon capable huston after a policemun.

Salome laid her hand on his arm and said, supplicatingly, " No. Philip; no, p'ease!" But he disregarded her intervention, and renewed the command to the servant, who at once disappeared to obey it.

Mrs. Cu-worth's apartments, but Salome, quick put down the bag as desired. as thought, threw herself in his way, and stood against the door, with outstrotched arms. " No. Philip; not-not, if you love me." "Why not?"—spoken stornly.
"Recause——" She faltered, her face bowed

on her besom; then she recovered herself, looked him entreatingly in the eyes, and said, "I will the head, which would fell him if he stooped, tell you afterwards in private. I cannot now. (th. Philip-I beseech you!'

"I know, I know he is," she answered. eye of Philip, Salome stooped, rose, and handed "Oh. Philip, don't mind her. He will get

Sidebottom on her part I'hillp, of his wife, ignoring the words of his aunt | for more than a second allowing it to be off his "I cannot tell you now. Will you not trust opponent, never allowing him to move a muscle me? Do allow him to escape.'

made her shiver, it expresseds much indignation. | the contents of the bag, he saw that it contained had asked, but looked at him steadily with her bank notes, and the figures on these notes were great imploring eyes.

a discharge of canister, and was cut short by the strap over his own head. Philip, who, turning stornly to her, said : not escape. The windows of both rooms are Schoffeld and the break-up of his assurance. burred, because on the ground floor. He cannot break forth. I have him as in a trap. It is:

help me to decide-whether to burst open the well as the new scores-which are not my owndoor now, or wait till the arrival of the constable." against Beaple Yeo." without taking her eyes off her husband's face, will be so terribly bad for you to have the conlet fall her arms and stood back. But even cern here mixed up with me-and you should then, as he put his foot against the door, she consider that—the Bridlington scheme was a thrust forth her hand against Mrs. Sidebottom, famous one, and was honest as the daylight. I and said: "Not she! No, Philip, as you must have rendered twenty-five per cent .honour me! If you love me-not sha!"

and let her and the constable in, and bring them to dream that no land could be bought?" at once into Mrs. Cusworth's apartments. Do | He eyed Philip craftily, theulooked at the door, not enter before.

knocked thrice, and his knock had remained un- So he turned to Salome. " Speak a word for your noticed. Then, with foot and shoulder against father, child?" he said in a low tone. it, he drove it in, and the lock torn off fell on. the floor. Instantly Salome entered after him | who put out his steady hand and thrust her back and shut the door behind her, and stoodsgainst it | not roughly but firmly, towards Schofield. The old suspicion, sullenness, and doggedness. Then in a sudden frenzy of fear and anger the which Philip had nurtured in him through long | fellow screamed, "Will you let me pass ?" years of discouragement and distress, evil tem- | "The constable will be here directly, and then pers that had been laid to sleep for a twelve- I will; not till then," said Philip. month, rose full of energy to life again. He "Bah! the constable?" scoffed Schofield was angered at the thought that the wretch "You have sent to have a constable summoned. whom he was pursuing should have taken refuge | But where is he? Looking for a policeman is number his own roof, and worst of all, that his own like searching for a text. You know he's somewife should spread out her arms to protect him. where, but can't for the life of you put your The hero of a story should be without such thumb on him. Look here, Philip," he lowered blemishes, that take from him all lastre and rob | his voice to a sort of whine," I'm awfully penitent him of sympathy. But the reader must con- | for what I have done: Cut to the heart, gnawsider those evil passions in him as bred of his ing of conscience, and all that sort of thing. It him, because the seed was sown in him when his discreet and righteons son, and instead of running May. heart was receptive, and rich to receive what- to meet me and help me, and giving me a good ever crop was sown there. And again, we may dinner-a good dinner, you know, and all that ask: Is the reader free from evil tempers, con- sort of thing, you threaten me with constables stitutional or acquired? The history of life is and conviction. I couldn't do it myself. 'Pon

by these; and such is the history of Philip. In the sitting room stood a scared group, more professor. I'm ashamed of you, Philip: looking at one another. Mrs. Cusworth by the I'm sorry for you. I sincerely am. I'm terribly fireplace, pale as chalk, hardly able to stand, un- afraid for you that you are the Pharisee, detable to utler a word of explanation or protest, pising me the humble, penitent Publican." The and Beaple Yeo, with his hat on, wearing a great fellow was such a rascal that he could adapt himcoat that Philip knew at once—that of his de-just to any complexion of man with whom he was, coased uncle, holding a leather bag in his hand, to and he tried on this miserable cant with Philip which a strap was attached that he was endea- in the hope that it would succeed. But as he voming to sling over his shoulder, but was in- watched his face, and saw no sign of alteration commoded by his case, of which he did not let of purpose in it, he changed his tone, and said go. His face was mottled and his pose very sallenly, with a savagery in the sallenness: purple-but he had not, like Mrs. Cusworth, "Come let me go; if I am brought to trial. lost his presence of mind.

came hard as marble, and he said, "So-we meet hear, and which will not suffer her to hold up The man had forgotten to remove his hat! He saw that he had made Philip wince. when attempting to put, the strap over his head; and so failed; he at once hastily passed the cane he heard that the police-constable had arrived. into the hand that held the bag, and said with He turned, went to the fireplace, grasped the

"Put down that bag," ordered Philip, ignor- she fell. ing the offered hand. "Or, here, give it me." there—comb and brush and whisker ourlers."

have you arrested in this room. with promise with promise, my son."

The impudence of the man, his audscity, and with coal, over the side of which leaned a wohis manner, worked Philip in anger; not the man, with a brown face, smoking a pipe. cold bitter anger that had risen before, but hot "My lass!" said Schofield, "I've summat to and flaming, "Come, no nonsense. Give me that bag now, and went down the ladder into the little cabin.

or I'll take it from you. There is a warrant out. The woman, Ann Dewis, slowly drew her pipe for your arrest as Beaple Yeo." He put his hand out of her mouth and went after him to the forward to snatch the bag from the fellow, but batch, looked in, and said "What be 't lad? Beaple Yeo or Schofield quickly brought his 'Eh. Earle! Thar't come. Tak' t' pipe: I've 66 T A HACIENDA." formerly occupied by stick round.

"My pippin!" said he, "take care; I have a and sh've done it." needle in this, that will run you through if you touch me though you are my son." Philip closed with him, wrenched the stick from him and placed it behind him. But Beaple would not be deprived of his weapon without an effort to recover it, and he made a rush at Philip to best hin aside, as he drew back, which would have THE Procuration granted to Mr. C. H.

thrown berself between them, and clinging to her husband, said, "Oh Philip! He is my father! Philip stood back, and he and Schoffeld faced each other in silence, the latter with his eye on Philip to note how he received the news. Philip grew greyer in tint, and every line in his face deepened; his eyes became more like Cairngorm stones than ever—cold, bard, almost inanimate. "It is true," said Schofield; "my chuck has told you the fact—the very fact. Why should it have been kept from you so long? - so long? The Schofields are a family as good as the Pan. THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMEN nycomequicks, and the name is not so much of a mouthfiller, which, at least, is a consolation-a allow me to step by? No? Upon my word there would be something un-Ohristian—some thing to shock the moral sense even of an old Roman-a classic Roman-for a son-in-law to suffer his father to be arrested beneath his own roof. Besides, dear fellow, there are other con-

siderations. You would hardly wish to have Pennycomequick's firm mixed up with Beaple Yeo, Esquire. It might, you know you know THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON -injure, compromise, and all that sort of thing -vou understand --- " Philip turned to Mrs. Cusworth and asked

ber. " Is it true, or—a lie. But the old lady was in no conditon to answer. above Company from this date. She opened her mouth and shut it, like a gasping tish, but no sound issued from her lips. Then Salome recovered her composure and

will, "Philip! It is indeed true. He is my father. I am not, nor is Janet, her daughter.
We are the twin children of her sister, who was married to—and then who was deserted by—this Business at Haiphong and Hanoi (Tonquin), on this was deserted by—this -we did not know that we were not her obildren the late Firm be addressed to wither Mr. II. -that we were her nieces we were not told." DEGENFEED, Hand, or Mr. O. von net looking at Mrs. Cusworth, and his face clouded Hongkong.

with the blood that suffused it; but so far beneath

the skin that it did not colour, it only derkened "Is this true or is it a lie told to persuade me to let this scoundrel escape? Either way it will lose its effect. I am just. I will give him over to suffer the consequences of his acts." Again Mrs. Cusworth tried to speak, but sould

not. She grasped at the mantelshelf; she could hardly stay herself from falling. "Very well," said Philip, looking fixedly at Schofield. "Let us suppose that it is true; that I have been trifled with, deceived, dishonoured.

worth's room. Thouce he no doubt, thought to He spoke with a hard, metallic voice; scarce a trace of feeling was in it, save of the grate For some moments, after Philip appeared and animosity; his strong eye had no yielding in it, Mrs. Sidebottom bad told him that the swindler no light, only a sort of phosphorescent glimmer and held it in his right hand like a quarter-staff, Then a servant, alarmed by the cry, appeared and in his firm, knotted fist, cane though it was, of being used with deadly emphasis.

"Now then," said Philip, "Put down that FINE GROUND FLOOR of No. 139 ong: there, on the chair near me. Instantly." Schofield looked into his face and did not venture to disobey. The iron resolution, the force- very suitable for a Soda Water Manufactory. earnest, the remorseless determination Then he strode towards the door leading to there were not to be trifled with. Schofield

> The key. Sulkily, the fellow drew it from his trousers pooket and flung it on the ground,

"Pick it up. Scholleld hesitated. He would not stoop. He dreaded a blow on the head; on the back of such a blow as he would himself deal the man before him if he had a stick in his hand, "Salome." ,said her husband, very gravely, and could induce him to bend at his feet. As he hesitated, and a spark appeared in

the key to her husband. He did not thank her. He did not look at her. away, and he has my money!" entreated Mrs. He kept his eye steadily on Schofield-scarcely glancing at the bag as he opened it, and then Why do you seek to shelter him P" asked only rapidly and cursorily at its contents-nover nucbserved, never to frame a thought unread. "Salome!" exclaimed Philip, in such a tone as But, for all the speed with which he glanced at She could say no more in urgence of what she is great deal of money. It was stuffed with

high. Philip lessurely reclosed and relocked Mrs. Sidebottom was not silent; she poured in the bag, put the key in his pocket and passed Then only did a slight, almost cruel smile, stir "I request your silence. The scoundrel can- the corners of his lips as he saw the blankoess of "Now, I suppose, I may go P" said the rogue.

"No," answered Philip, "I do nothing by merely a question with me-which my wife must half. I have my old scores against Schofield as Then Salome slowly, with heaving breast, and "But" said the man, in a shaking voice, "it

twenty-five as I am an honest man-and I should Then he turned and said to Mrs. Sidebottom : have become a millionaire. Then wouldn't you "Aunt, I must ask you to remain in the ball. have been proud of me, ch?-it was a good When the maid rings the front door bell, open scheme and must have answered, only who was

then again at Philip-as seen expect to find He did not burst open the door till be had yielding in him as to see honey distil out of flint, Salome shrank from him and turned to Philip.

the history of man mastering or being mastered my word I couldn't. I suppose it is in as I'm too much of a Christian -a true Christian, not a

can tell you there will be pretty things come out Philip looked hard at him, then his face be- which neither you nor your wife will like to her head very stiffly-ch?"

At that moment the house door-bell rang, an air of forced joviality, as he extended his poker, and swinging it shove his head rushed upon right palm, "How d'y do, my boy, glad to see Philip. Salome uttered a cry. Mrs. Cusworth's hand let go its grasp of the chimney-piece and

All happened in a moment—a blow of the po "No. thank 'y, my son; got my night togs in ker on Philip's arm—and, Schofield was through the door and down the passage to the garden. "Schofield," said Philip, grimly, 'I have sent | "Run after him, policeman, run!" screamed for the constable. He will be here in two or Mrs. Sidebottom, as she admitted the constable. three minutes. Give me up that bag. I shall But Schofield had gained the start, and when the policeman reached the door in the wall of the "No, you won't, my dear boy," answered the lower garden he found it locked, and had to re-"But, by Jove, it isn't kindly-not trace his sters to the house. Time had been kindly what we look for in our children. But, gained. No sooner was Schofield outside the Lord bless you bless you the world is becom- garden than he relaxed his steps, and sauntered ing frightfully neglectful of the commandment leasily along the path till be reached the canal He followed that till he arrived at a barge laden

> tell thee in private;" and he jumped on board kept it aleet a' these years. Ah sed a would,

> > (To be continued) NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE. led to a fresh test of strength, had not Salome | 1. SCHMIOT by our Firm is withdrawn. WM. G. HALE & Co. Saigon, 13th April, 1899.

> HAVE This Day Established myself as a SHARE and GENERAL BROKER. S. R. BOMANJI. Hongkong, 9th May, 1889.

> > NOTICE

AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED, R. AUGUSTUSSHELTON HOOPER IVI is appointed SECRETARY of the Com-

J. J. KESWICK Hongkong, 1st May, 1889.

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R. EDWARD OSBORNE has been VI appointed ACTING SECRETARY of the J. J. KESWICK, Chairman.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1889.

-this man Schoffeld. She took us, she and her the lat April, 1889, and it is requested that all year 188 has this day been declared. dear good husband, and cared for us as their own communications regarding the liquidation of "In this really true ?" saked Philip, again HEYDE (care of Messes. CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.), Hongkong, 7th May, 1889

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occupation of Mesers. EDOUARD SCHELL charged into Craft, had/or landed at the Go downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 8th instant. Goods undelivered after the 15th instant Y. will be subject to Bent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Goddens, where they will be examined at 11 A.M., 1 Winst.

BUTTERFIELD& SWIRE, Agonts. Hongkong, 7th May, 1889. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "CASSANDRA," Capt. Thomsen, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside.

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SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, 7th May, 1889 UNION LINE.

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Agenta. Hongkong, 7th May, 1889 THE -CHINA-SHIPPERS' MUTUAL BTEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

RUSSELL & Co.,

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have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 12th instant or they will not be All broken, shafed, and damaged goods are to. be left in the Godowns, where they will be ex. I Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT amined on the Lith inst., at 4 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any

Goods Remaining in the Godowns after the 12th inst. will be subject to rent. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Two P.M. TO-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer A healthiest positions of the Colony-5 are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into traft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lia at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready one for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 6th inst. Goods undelivered after the 13th instant

will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M., 13th inst. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 5th May, 1889.

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Colonial Feoretary's Office.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1889.

Colonial Scoretary.

H. E. WODEHOUSE.

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